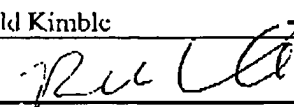


<b>REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</b>		Application Number	09/618,281
		Confirmation Number	9866
		Filing Date	July 18, 2000
		First Named Inventor	Kazuhiro YANASE
		Group Art Unit	2134
		Examiner Name	NALVEN, Andrew L.
		Matter Number	Q60167
<b>MAIL STOP RCE</b> Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995		Title <b>POSITION AUTHENTICATION SYSTEM AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT USING THE SAME</b>	
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.			
<b>1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114</b>			
a. <input type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted i. <input type="checkbox"/> Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____ ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appcal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____ iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____			
b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition for Extension of Time v. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Excess Claim Fee Payment Letter</u>			
<b>2. MISCELLANEOUS</b>			
a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____			
<b>3. FEES</b> The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, including the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00, and except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.			
<b>CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS</b> <i>Direct all correspondence to the address for SUGHRUE MION, PLLC filed under the Customer Number listed below:</i> WASHINGTON OFFICE <b>23373</b> CUSTOMER NUMBER			
<b>SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY</b>			
Name <u>Ronald Kimble</u>		Registration No. <u>44,186</u>	
Signature <u></u>		Date <u>November 26, 2004</u>	